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Pat Miller, Chairman
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Re Petition of Tennessee Independent Telecommunications Company of Tennessee, LLC d/b/a Iris Networks for Arbitration of a Collocation Agreement with Citizens Telecommunications Company of Tennessee L L C or, in the alternative, for Resolution of Complaint against Citizens regarding Denial of Collocation Request Docket No 04-00310

Dear Chairman Miller

By letter dated January 10, 2005, the parties requested an extension of time for filing the brief that was due in this matter on January 10, 2005. That extension was for January 18, 2005. The parties are continuing to discuss settlement, and they need additional time to determine whether a settlement can be reached. Accordingly, we request that the time for filing the briefs be extended to Tuesday, January 25, 2005.

Very truly yours,

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